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HOT FROM THE WIRES

General News Today is Without Unusual Incident.

London Railroad Gets Damages Against a Union—Many Mardi Gras Visitors.

DR. DUNCAN RESUMES WORK

VERDIOT AGAINST THE UNION.

London, Feb. 23—A verdict has been returned here against the British Amalgamated Society of Railway servants, which corresponds to the American unions, for \$115,000 for damages to the property of the Great Western railway company during the strike of 1900.

TRYING TO ADJUST

LABOR TROUBLES

Chicago, Feb. 23—President Samuel Gompers, of the Federation of Labor, is in Chicago trying to adjust the serious labor differences that exist there.

ACCEPTS COLLEGE PRESIDENCY.

Geneva, N. Y., Feb. 23—Rev. Langdon C. Stewardson, of Lehigh University, has accepted the presidency of Hobart college, at this place.

DR. DUNCAN DECLINES TO TALK

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 23—Dr. Ellis Duncan has resumed his duties as superintendent of the city hospitals. He declines to discuss his future plans.

KILLED BY DYNAMITE.

Rockwood, Pa., Feb. 23—An explosion of dynamite here killed four persons, some being horribly mangled. A number of others were badly hurt.

DRANK WOOD ALCOHOL.

Schoenady, N. Y., Feb. 23—George Stave and his brother, the Lemuel David, of this place, died from drinking wood alcohol.

EARTHQUAKE'S WORK.

Manila, Feb. 23—Earthquakes in the Philippines have raised the level of the Isle of Guam six inches, according to official reports.

THE BOWLING CONGRESS.

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 23—The bowling congress today unanimously adopted a sixteen and a half pound ball.

PROMINENT MAN DIES.

Cleveland, O., Feb. 23—The Hon. R. P. Updegraff, a former police judge of Cleveland, died very suddenly here.

MANY AT MARDI GRAS.

New Orleans, Feb. 23—There are thousands of visitors here and in Mobile attending Mardi Gras festivities.

POISONED SIX.

Columbus, Ind., Feb. 23—Mead Barr, a young man, is in jail here charged with poisoning six people.

LADRONES GET BUSY.

CONSTABULARY CAPTURED SIX OF THEM NEAR MANILA.

Manila, Feb. 23—A force of ladrones under General San Miguel reappeared in Rizal province yesterday. They avoided an engagement with the main force in the south, but captured three small detachments of constabulary. The enemy surrounded the towns of Cainta and Taytay, 11 miles east of Manila, Saturday, and captured 30 scouts and 10 men of the constabulary, whom they disarmed and set free.

Today Inspector Mellwaine, at the head of 10 constabulary, was surprised and captured near Mont Alban, 16 miles northeast of Manila. The ladrones promised to release them if the constabulary would surrender their arms. While they were conferring on this point Mellwaine made a dash for liberty and he and all the constabulary effected their escape.

OVERCOME BY GAS.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 23—A man and woman, registered at the Empress hotel as Mr. and Mrs. John J. Dwyer, were found in a rooming house here by gas. The man is in a critical condition at the emergency hospital. The police believe the man attempted to murder the woman and commit suicide.

FINE HOUSE BURNED

Residence of Mr. O. L. Gregory Destroyed by Fire.

Total Loss About \$11,000 With \$6,000 Insurance—Suits May Be Filed.

MR. GREGORY NOT SATISFIED

The handsome residence of Mr. O. L. Gregory, at 318 North Ninth street, was burned about 9 o'clock yesterday morning. It will be nearly a total loss. The fire started in the basement. It is said that the furnace pipes must have ignited a joist, and the flames spread to the walls and ran up them to the eaves.

When the fire department reached the scene, the blaze was believed to be confined to the cellar. A section of hose with an automatic nozzle such as are used to shut off the water and prevent its flooding the house and ruining the furniture, was used, and after the fire in the cellar was extinguished it was discovered that flames were bursting from the top of the house.

It was only a short time, although several streams were kept playing on the burning structure, until it was practically destroyed. The loss will probably amount to \$8,000 on the building and \$3,000 on the furniture, with \$4,500 insurance on the building and \$1,500 on the furniture.

It is understood that Mr. Gregory is talking of suing the city and water company to recover his loss. He claims it is said, that a defective nozzle was used, but there were not men enough to work, and not sufficient water.

Mr. Gregory is not satisfied with the work of the fire department. He says that the pressure was so strong that it burst hot water boilers in some parts of the city, and that while one stream was used by the firemen and would not work, there were two or three other streams that were so strong that the shingles were torn off the top story, showing that there was no fault with the pressure. The great trouble was, according to the firemen, that the flames were confined to the interior of the house, at the top, and there was no way to fight them except by throwing water on the roof and letting it fall through after the roof had sufficiently burned.

Two of the police and fire commissioners stated today that Mr. Gregory desired that they meet this afternoon in order that he could register his complaint, but they said they had other business to attend to, and would probably hold no session today.

MISHAP

Mr. Race Dipple Severely Hurt by a Wire.

He Jumped and it Struck Him in the Face.

Mr. Race Dipple, of the R. G. Terrell wholesale feed store on North Second street, met with a serious accident last night about 6:30 o'clock on Adams between Fourth and Fifth streets.

Mr. Dipple was crossing the street returning home after a visit to a neighbor's house and in crossing the gutter overlooked several heavy wires stretched from telephone pole to pole to protect large cable spools that were on the pavement. Mr. Dipple gave a leap and intended landing on the pavement but struck the wires with his face and broke one tooth out, cut the bridge of his nose to the bone and badly cut a cheek. His forehead was also cut and for a time he was in a unconscious condition. He was taken home and a physician sent to him to treat the injuries. He is much better this morning, his many friends will be pleased to learn.

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A BIG VOTE TODAY

Mr. Pearson and Miss Norvell Still Lead in The Sun's Contests.

TWO MORE WEEKS OF CONTESTS

The Sun's contest is rapidly drawing to a close.

There remain but two weeks more for voting as the contests close March 9.

The vote today shows the great interest being taken in the contests. Mr. Pearson still leads in the men's contest and Miss Norvell in the ladies'.

Mr. Holliday passed the 10,000 mark by today's vote and Miss Norvell's vote has reached into the fourteen thousands.

Remember the contests close very soon, March 9.

If you would help your favorites get to work in earnest.

The vote is as follows:

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| Ed Pearson | 11963. |
| Charles Holliday | 10298. |
| Charles Bundy | 9694. |
| B. H. Pixler | 3394. |
| T. W. Baird | 1323. |
| Henry Weimer | 858. |

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| J. J. Freundlich | 704. |
| W. T. Kirkpatrick | 573. |
| Pete Smith | 90. |
| Young Taylor | 83. |
| George Hannan | 79. |

LADIES' CONTEST.

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| Miss Lillie Norvell | 14642. |
| Mrs. Dr. Duley | 10833. |

THE PRIZES.

First prize—\$100 in gold.
Second prize—\$50 in gold.
Third prize—\$20.
Fourth prize—\$7.50.
Fifth prize—\$3.50.
Next four—\$1 each.

In the most popular lady contest the prizes are:

First prize—Transportation to Colorado and return at any time during this year.

Second prize—Transportation to either Chicago or New Orleans and return at any time in this year.

I VOTE FOR _____
OF _____
As Most Popular _____ Officer in Paducah
Signed: _____
Monday, February 23

I VOTE FOR _____
As the most popular lady in Paducah
Signed: _____
Monday, February 23

BROKE RECORD
CITY OF LOUISVILLE WENT TO NEW ORLEANS IN 96 HOURS.

Louisville, Ky., Feb. 23—The City of Louisville, which just arrived at New Orleans, has broken all records between Cincinnati and New Orleans. She made the trip in 105 hours, making nine stops of one hour each. The actual running time was 96 hours.

Mr. C. D. Vinyard, foreman of the Illinois Central round house, is ill and unable to be on duty. His position is being filled by Mr. Joe Walker, formerly round house foreman here.

UNHAPPY COUPLES
TWO SUITS FOR DIVORCE WERE FILED THIS MORNING.

Arabelle Britt has filed a suit against Geo. Britt for divorce, alleging cruel and inhuman treatment. She asks for the custody of their two children also.

Mary Smith has filed a suit for divorce against Pete Smith, alleging abandonment. She asks for the restoration of her maiden name, Mary Word.

Mr. Mike Caldwell arrived from Mayfield today at noon.

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FIVE MORE NEW CASES IN THE CHURCHES

Additional Victims of Smallpox in the Tyler Section.

A Special Officer Employed to Assist in Enforcing the Quarantine Rules.

BELIEVED IS UNDER CONTROL

While the health authorities feel confident that they have the smallpox situation in the Tyler neighborhood fully under control, five new cases have developed since Saturday night.

There have been two cases discovered in the Ben Coley family and two in the Coon Coley family and one in the Koerner family. This makes a total of five cases newly discovered, with a total of nineteen, all of which are under quarantine.

A health officer said this morning in regard to the situation: "We would rather have the papers remain silent on the subject of smallpox, but for fear that the situation might be exaggerated will give the true situation. There is a great deal of smallpox in this neighborhood, but it is fully under control, we think. These new cases that have developed within the past several days are the result of exposures two weeks ago. All the cases which have been under treatment for several weeks are mild and are doing well and many are ready to be discharged. A special officer, employed by the county board of health, is detailed to watch in that neighborhood and see that the quarantine law is strictly adhered to and to make an inspection every day and report all suspicious cases. In this way we feel that we have been enabled to stay the spread and feel positive that we will have no more new cases in this section unless it is from exposures in families where the disease now is."

B. C. Jones, an employee of the I. C. shops, of No. 15 Huntington Row, was Saturday taken to the pest house with a fully developed case of smallpox. Jones had been exposed to the disease by living in the same house with another case. The place is under quarantine.

The flag has not been taken down at the Calissi residence in Littleville but the quarantine has been practically raised and Mr. Calissi and his children now go home at will, and the house will probably be fumigated today or tomorrow.

HOLLAND TRIAL

Arguments Began Today in the Murray Case.

Justice Swan Has Made a Good Impression in Conducting the Case.

Speeches are being made in the case against Sheriff Walter Holland of Murray for the alleged murder of Hardy Keys today and the case will probably go to the jury tonight.

Judge William Reed of the city and Attorney Sam Crossland of Mayfield are representing the prosecution and James Coleman and Will Linn the defense, and all will speak.

The evidence in the case was concluded Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock and court adjourned this morning so the attorneys could have all time desired in which to argue the case.

It is said that the prosecution has made out a stronger case against the accused than was at first thought could have been made. The little city of Murray has been filled with persons from the county ever since the trial began, and a great deal of interest is being taken in the trial. This is only a preliminary hearing and it is generally thought that Holland will be held over to the grand jury.

Justice Swan has conducted the trial with great credit and has made a favorable impression with both the prosecution and the defense with his fair rulings.

Large Congregations Out at Yesterday's Services.

Patriotic Exercises at the Y. M. C. A. Were Well Attended in the Afternoon.

SERVICES AT OTHER PLACES

Yesterday was the first pretty Sunday in the entire month of February, and drew out large congregations at the various churches. With a few exceptions the local ministers filled their pulpits, and the regular services were held. The sermons delivered were characterized by strength and vigor.

The night service at the First Cumberland Presbyterian church was in the interest of the Y. M. C. A. work. A spirited song and praise service in opening was conducted by the pastor Rev. J. O. Reid, which was participated in by the excellent choir. State Secretary H. E. Rosevear of Louisville, was present and made the opening prayer. Mr. H. M. Cunningham rendered a viola solo as offertory, and Miss Addie Miller sang. The address of the evening was made by Secretary Stuart B. Hanna of the local Y. M. C. A. and was one of the finest ever delivered in the city. Mr. Hanna surprised even those who had heard him before and consequently expected much from him. He spoke on "The Need of a More Aggressive and Statesmanlike Movement for Paducah's Young Men" and he presented the subject in a way to command the undivided attention and deep interest of his audience. It was direct to the point, and appealed especially to the business man. Rapidly he reviewed the growth and work of the Y. M. C. A. from its beginning and its influence for good on the countries of the world. He considered it from a mental, physical and spiritual standpoint, its benefit to the young man, and then emphasized the need in Paducah and made a strong plea for a more aggressive and statesmanlike movement that would develop the highest possibilities in the work here where it is much needed. It was a powerful, thoughtful, earnest and logical argument, delivered with ease and rapidity, yet every sentence was a telling blow. Mr. Hanna spoke without notes, and covered his ground in a very short time. He should have been heard by every man in Paducah.

A new feature in Sunday school work was instituted at the Tenth street Christian church yesterday. The Sunday school was divided into two parties, the blue and the red, and each side is to work for the upbuilding of the Sunday school. It is called a "Sunday School Revival," and the contest will last for two months, at the close a reception will be given to the side doing the best work, by the defeated party. "A Young People's Prayer Meeting" was, also, organized at this church, and will meet every Sunday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The new pastor, Rev. H. K. Berry, is a progressive worker.

Patriotic services were held at the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday afternoon, in celebration of Washington's birthday. Especial music was rendered by Mr. H. L. Fitch of St. Louis. The address was made by State Secretary H. E. Rosevear of Louisville, who arrived in the city on Saturday evening. Mr. Rosevear's theme was "The 400,000 Young Men of Kentucky" and he handled his big subject with all the grace and charm of manner and vigor of thought for which Mr. Rosevear is noted, and which always commanded him an interested audience here. Mr. Rosevear's efficient work as secretary of Kentucky for a number of years, has put him in close touch with the young men of the state, and he speaks with authority. He has but recently returned from the state convention at Lexington and had much interesting and convincing data from that great meeting. A representative crowd was out to hear Mr. Rosevear, and a collection of \$38.65

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LOOK OUT FOR CATARRH

The cold-wave flag means zero weather, icy, moisture-laden winds, and the beginning of winter in earnest. To Catarrh sufferers there is nothing cheering in these climatic changes, for with the return of cold weather, all the disagreeable symptoms of Catarrh appear: blinding headaches, dizziness, a stuffy feeling about the nose that makes breathing difficult, chest pains, and as the disease progresses, a discharge of nauseating matter from the throat and nose keeps one continually hawking and spitting.

Catarrh is a most disgusting disease. The foul mucous secretions that are constantly dropping back into the stomach contaminate and poison the blood and is distributed throughout the body, and it then becomes a deep-seated, systemic, persistent disease that must be treated through the blood, for it is beyond the reach of sprays, washes, powders or external treatment of any kind.

S. S. S. soon clears the system of all Catarrhal matter and purges the blood of the irritating poisons, thus effectually checking the further progress of this serious and far-reaching disease.

Look out for Catarrh in winter, for cold stirs the blood and causes excessive secretion of mucus and brings to life all the slumbering poisons that make Catarrh the most abominable of all diseases. S. S. S. keeps the blood in such perfect order that cold waves cause no alarm and the change from the heat of summer to the rigors of winter produce no hurtful effects.

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HENDRICK HIT HARD

State Committeeman Ayers Opens the Fight Against Honest John.

Tells Him He Has Not Been on the Mourner's Bench Long Enough—
Fight Begins in Earnest.

MORE SAID TO BE COMING

The fight between Hon. John K. Hendrick, of Paducah, candidate for the Democratic nomination for governor, and the Beckham machine, has apparently opened in earnest in this section of the state, and here in Mr. Hendrick's own district we find the Democratic state committeeman leading the fight against him.

It appears Mr. Hendrick in his recent speech accused the committeeman of having been influenced in his vote on the question of a primary by the fact that Governor Beckham appointed him a colonel on his staff three years ago. This has drawn the fire of the committeeman, Colonel Mott Ayers, who publishes the Fulton Leader and is a scrapper from away back, and he pours the following hot shot into the Hendrick camp:

"What right have you, Mr. Hendrick, to talk about the Democratic organization, when just a few years ago no man tried harder than you did to destroy that organization? We suspect that you have not been on the mourner's bench quite long enough to be classed among the duly penitent, and we are sure that the Democrats of Kentucky are too sagacious to trust their leadership to a runaway horse, for the habit is said to be incurable. When did you get to be the apostle of pure Democracy? Since 1896 or since 1897? We would advise you to be calm and curb your frothy mouth, for we propose to show up your political record in such a fashion that no true Democrat in Kentucky will be willing to take a chance upon your bogus candidacy. We did not wish to do so, for our personal feelings towards you have been kindly, even if our regard for your party fidelity has been small. But you have invited it by your childish personal attacks and you must suffer the penalty your rashness has invoked."

You have the unenviable and unprecedented distinction of being a "one term" congressman from the Gibraltar district of Kentucky Democracy. You were first nominated and elected to that position in 1894, but in 1896, when you asked for a renomination, your position as a goldbug and your hostility to your party were such that you were overwhelmingly defeated in a Democratic primary by that gallant and knightly Democrat, Charles K. Wheeler. No wonder you are so much against primaries, now, for that was the last one you ever went up against. Your present state of hydrophobic fear of such things is therefore easily explained. "The machine" of unterrified Democratic voters which ran over you then is the same kind of "machine" you think you are fighting now. You skulked in that campaign of 1896 and lent aid and comfort to the enemies of your party. If you voted for the Democratic ticket, as you claim, then you doubled your offense by adding hypocrisy to infidelity. Faithless to your party, you should not claim to have voted for it when you were working against it. But let us go a little further. What did you do in 1897? In your speech at Georgetown the other day you gave as your reason for not voting the ticket that year that you were "too ill to go to the polls." Was that your reason? Let us see how sincere you were in that statement and measure your sincerity in other statements by the test. As a matter of fact, and you cannot deny it, you were a delegate, duly selected, from your county by a goldbug convention to the Louisville convention which nominated Hindman as the bolting candidate for clerk of the court of appeals against the regular Democratic nominee for that office. You have in your scrapbook an article which you do not now exhibit from the Courier-Journal of July 13, 1897. We also have a copy of that article, which we print in another part of this paper, and it shows in big headlines on the front page that "J. K. Hendrick" had been welcomed into the ranks of the "Palmer-Backner" followers and would be a delegate to the Hindman convention from his county of Livingston. It further shows that you were chairman of the committee on resolutions in your bolting county convention, and that you drew up the resolutions of that convention which

condemned in unmeasured terms the Chicago platform of 1896, the state Democratic platform of 1897, and denounced as revolutionists and anarchists the Democrats who favored those platforms. You wrote those resolutions and you must not deny it.

* You say now that it is "an outrage and a scandal" that the state committee has not provided a means for adopting a platform for this year. There are platforms enough for us. Every Kentuckian knows what the Democratic party stands for and what the Republican party stands for. Probably you desire to ring in your 1897 platform on the party, but we will have none of it."

Colonel Ayers publishes on the front page of his paper a double columned account from the Courier-Journal of July 13, 1897, containing the Livingston county resolutions signed by Mr. Hendrick and denouncing the Democratic national and state platform. It is understood that the papers are being sent around in the state pretty liberally.

THE CARNIVAL
MR. A. M. GREIF ELECTED PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION.

The Paducah Carnival association has elected officers, a meeting for the purpose having been held Saturday night at Harrison and Flournoy's law office. The officers chosen are: A. W. Greif, president; Adolph Weil, vice president; J. C. Flournoy, secretary, and W. F. Paxton, treasurer.

The directors are: A. W. Greif, K. O. Davis, Joseph L. Friedman, J. C. Flournoy and Adolph Weil. The executive committee chosen is: L. A. Lagomarsino, Charles Weille, J. J. Read, G. R. Davis and H. G. Johnston.

Arrangements for the carnival will be at once pushed, and everything gotten in readiness for it. The time will probably be about the second week in May from the 11th to the 16th.

One problem that will confront the committee on arrangements this year is securing a site for the carnival. It is desired to have it down town if possible and the site that had been used for the two last carnivals is now occupied by the public library building under course of construction. One site that has been suggested is near Fourth and Madison streets, while another is Twelfth and Trimble, and another Fountain avenue.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.
PROMINENT KENTUCKY BEAUTY TO WED A NEW YORKER.

The Louisville papers yesterday announced the engagement of Miss Alice Castleman, second daughter of General John B. Castleman of that place, to Mr. Augustus O. Hone of New York, a nephew of Mr. August Belmont. The announcement of the engagement was made by the family at a dinner given at the Pendennis club.

The young lady is a famous beauty, and has been pronounced by many the most beautiful woman in the United States. She is popular in New York society also, and is one of the most celebrated horsewomen in the country.

Mr. Hone is studying railroading, and is a prominent young man with a brilliant future. The date of the wedding has not been announced.

DEATH IN GRAVES
MR. THOMAS CURTSINGER DIES AT FANCY FARM FROM PARALYSIS.

Mr. Thomas Curtsinger, a well known man of Fancy Farm, Graves county, 92 years old, died from paralysis after a few days illness. He was a generous, respected citizen and left quite an estate, having about 600 acres of fine land, also. There are 11 heirs to the estate, including several children.

THE KAISER.
HIS UTTERANCES ACCEPTED AS SUFFICIENT AS TO ORTHODOXY

Berlin, Feb. 23.—Emperor William's faith in God and Christ and in the authority of the Old Testament, as declared in his letter to Admiral Hollman, Councillor of the German Oriental Society, is accepted by the leading authorities of the state and church as satisfactory evidence of his orthodoxy, which for months had been the cause of deep concern to theologians and pastors.

The Buttrif left at 12 o'clock today for Cumberland river. She arrived last night.

THE STATEHOOD BILL

The Tangle in the Senate May Soon End.

Montezuma May be Name of a New State Made Up of New Mexico and Arizona.

NO CERTAINTY YET HOWEVER

Washington, Feb. 23.—The statehood committee report which is expected to unlock the present tangle in the senate and remove the blockade proposes to admit two states, one to be Oklahoma according to its present boundaries with a proviso that Indian Territory shall be added to Oklahoma in 1906, when the treaty obligations with the Indians will not be in the way. The other state is to be composed of New Mexico and Arizona under the name of Montezuma, with a proviso that when the present territory of Arizona has a population of 300,000 people it shall become a separate state, providing that the people of the territory affected vote in favor of being divided from Montezuma or New Mexico.

KENTUCKY CLAIMS
MONEY TO BE REFUNDED IF BILL IS PASSED.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 23.—Representative Moss called at the treasury department and was informed by Secretary Shaw that he would submit an estimate of the amount involved in the payment of the claim of several Kentuckians that the money collected from them as a penalty for the violation of the internal revenue laws be refunded.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue Yerkes, in a recent ruling, provided for a refundment of this money. There are several claims and Representative Moss is endeavoring to have an amendment providing money for their payment attached to the urgent deficiency bill. It is thought that there will be no objection to the passage of Mr. Moss' amendment.

PENSION BILL.
SOME NEW AND IMPORTANT PROVISIONS IN IT.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The conference on the senate bill to increase the pensions of those who have lost limbs in the military service or are totally disabled have agreed, the rates fixed by the house amendments being accepted. These provide a pension of \$40 per month for the loss of a hand or foot; \$46 for an arm off at or above the elbow, or leg at or above the knee; \$55 where arm or leg is entirely lost; \$60 for loss of one hand and one foot and \$100 for the loss of both feet.

The house amendment providing an increase to \$80 for certain persons drawing pensions under the act of June 27, 1890, is stricken out.

NEW DIRECTORS
Y. M. C. A. BOARD MET SATURDAY NIGHT.

State Secretary H. E. Rosevear, of the Y. M. C. A., arrived Saturday evening from Louisville and attended a meeting of the board of directors of the local Y. M. C. A. Four directors were elected to fill vacancies in the board, made by resignations. They were: J. A. Rudy, L. O. Walker, W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., and C. H. Sherrill. The retiring directors were: R. E. Ashbrook, Harry Hank, John Rock and L. E. Durrett.

Secretary Hanna's report showed a membership of 307, the largest in the history of Paducah, 32 new members being received during the past month.

MAJ. SAUNDERS ILL
MAY NOT BE OUT AGAIN FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

Deputy U. S. Marshal George W. Saunders, of this district, is reported quite ill at Mayfield, but his many friends will be glad to learn, not seriously so. Saturday's Mayfield Messenger says:

Major Saunders became quite ill last Saturday with a gripe which has gone into erysipelas. He has been quite ill, and it will be eight or ten days before he is able to be out again.

The big Pittsburg towboat Beaver passed down this morning with a tow of stone and other building material for St. Louis.

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Signal Bells
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THE SUN'S PUZZLE PICTURE.



The footpad thinks he hears the approaching footsteps of his two victims. Find the two supposed victims.

Winners of Yesterday's Prizes In Puzzle Contest.

The following are the winners:
Miss Fannie Grosheart.
Miss Bessie Hansen.

Anita Teal.
Earl Dustin.
Henry Steinhauer.

EIGHT TO GO

Paducah Will Probably be One of the Companies.

Wheeler Guards of This Place Would be Hard to Beat Anywhere.

Adjutant General Murray has given out a statement in which he says that the militia of the state is in fine condition. He says that eight companies of infantry of fifty men each and two batteries of artillery will accompany the governor and his staff to St. Louis on April 30 to the dedication of the World's Fair buildings.

It has not yet been determined which companies will go, but it is believed that the Wheeler Guards of Paducah will be one of them, for several reasons. One is that under Captain James Caldwell and other officers it is one of the finest and best disciplined in the state, and another is that owing to our location the state would save much in transportation by designating our company as one of those to go to St. Louis.

WEAK AND LOW SPIRITED.

A Correspondent Thus Describes His Experience.

"I can strongly recommend Herbine as a medicine of remarkable efficacy for indigestion, loss of appetite, sour taste in the mouth, papitation, headache, drowsiness after meals with distressing mental depressions and low spirits. Herbine must be a unique preparation for cases such as mine, for a few doses entirely removed my complaint. I wonder at people going on suffering or spending their money on worthless things, when Herbine is procurable, and so cheap." 50c a bottle. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

A BIG RIVER

THE OHIO IS TEN MILES WIDE IN PLACES.

Evansville, Feb. 23.—The Ohio river here has reached the 40 foot mark and rivermen expect it to go three feet higher. The low land is under water and the waterworks are surrounded. The loss to farmers is already heavy, much stock having perished. One hundred thousand dollars worth of corn has been swept away. Many people have been driven from their homes. Below here and in the neighborhood of Mt. Vernon the river is ten miles wide, and families have been forced to take refuge on the higher ground. Steamers are running, but are having difficulty in stemming the current.

ARE YOU RESTLESS AT NIGHT

And harassed by a bad cough? Use Ballard's Horehound Syrup, it will secure you sound sleep and effect a prompt and radical cure. 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle.

Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

GOTTWO YEARS

Willie Cooper, the Fulton Post-Office Thief, Pleads Guilty.

Was Lectured and Let Off With Two Years by Judge Evans.

Willie Cooper, the boy who was arrested at Fulton several months ago for pilfering letters from the Fulton Leader's box in the postoffice there, has been sentenced by Judge Evans to two years in the federal reform school in Booneville, Ind. He has been in jail at Louisville since his examining trial in Paducah in December, and pleaded guilty.

The boy was lectured by Judge Evans before being sentenced and said that evil companions were responsible for his downfall.

He is 17 years old and was formerly employed by the Leader. After his discharge letters began to disappear from the Leader's box, and many complaints were received of money that had been sent in and never been acknowledged, and it afterwards developed had never been received.

The boy was finally caught in the act. He had been tearing up all the letters and their contents that he could not use. He was brought to Paducah, and when the case came up in the federal court in November was transferred to Louisville.

Young Cooper will be taken to Booneville tonight. His parents are respected people of Fulton.

CURED CONSUMPTION.

Mrs. B. W. Evans, Clearwater, Kan., writes: "My husband lay sick for three months; the doctors stated he had quick consumption. We procured a bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup and it cured him. That was six years ago, and since then we always kept a bottle in the house. We cannot do without it. For coughs and colds, it has no equal." 25c, 50c and \$1 bottle. Sold by Du Bois, Kolb & Co.

SAM JONES COMING

HE WILL LECTURE MARCH 25 IN HOPKINSVILLE.

It is announced in Hopkinsville that Rev. Sam Jones, who held a series of meetings here last fall, will lecture in Hopkinsville March 25. Rev. Jones will doubtless stop over at Paducah either before or after his trip to Hopkinsville, as he has promised the Ministerial association to deliver an address here when he goes to Hopkinsville.

CASTORIA

For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Wm. D. Dr. H. H. H. H.*

PRESIDENT FISH

Illinois Central's Head Official Speaks at New York.

Demonstrates the Failure of Government Ownership of Railroads.

New York, Feb. 23.—The second annual dinner of the community of freight interests, composed of agents of the great shippers and transportation lines of the United States and Canada, was held tonight at the Arkwright club. President Stuyvesant Fish, of the Illinois Central, was the first speaker. He spoke of the freight traffic of a railroad as being its most important source of revenue, and added that a great deal depended on the ingenuity of the traffic agent. He facetiously referred to the passenger service on the railroad as "the dress parade," and said that the passenger service would be more profitable were there not so many parlor coaches on the great through trains of the great railroads.

Mr. Fish attacked government ownership of the railroads and compared his own railroad with the Illinois and Michigan canal. He said that the state of Illinois controlled and owned the canal and lost \$10,000 yearly through its operation. On the other hand, the Illinois Central was putting \$942,000 yearly into its treasury.

WAS HIS MOTHER.

STARTLING DISCOVERY MADE BY A NEW YORK DOCTOR.

Passaic, N. J., Feb. 23.—Dr. Alice H. Burdick, 60 years of age, who practiced medicine in New York City, but lived here, was struck by a train and instantly killed at the Prospect street crossing of the Erie railroad.

Opposite the station at the time was Dr. Edwin De Haun. He was called and hurried over, only to find that the victim was his own mother, he being her son by her first marriage. The son was so shocked he had to be led away.

NO NEW TRIAL.

JOHN THOMAS MUST TAKE AN APPEAL AT CADIZ.

Motion for a new trial in the case of John Sherman Thomas who was sentenced at Cadiz to ten years in the penitentiary for killing Alfred Bridges was overruled by Judge Cook, and sentence was passed upon the prisoner. The defendant prayed an appeal, which was granted, and the sentence was suspended for 30 days to allow the transcript to be filed.

NO WARRANT

COLORED MAN WILL NOT BE PROSECUTED FOR ROBBERY.

Olie Herring, colored, was arrested last night on a charge of robbing Sandy Orley of a small amount of money. After investigating the case it was decided that no case could be made out, and the prisoner was released.

CANCER CURED.

Mr. W. W. Prickett, Smithfield, Ill., writes, September 10, 1901: "I had been suffering several years with a cancer on my face, which gave me great annoyance and unbearable itching. I was using Ballard's Snow Liment for a sore leg, and through an accident, I rubbed some of the liment on the cancer, and as it gave me almost instant relief, I decided to continue to use the liment on the cancer. In a short time the cancer came out, my face healed up and there is not the slightest scar left. I have implicit faith in the merits of this preparation, and it cannot be too highly recommended." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by DuBois, Kolb & Co.

OLD-TIME JOURNALISM.

Herbert Asquith paid a pretty compliment to the press at the London Newspaper society's dinner in regard to its rapid collection of news. Nowadays the editorial task is winnowing rather than gathering. It was otherwise in the eighteenth century, when the Leicester Journal, for instance, had to send all its copy by coach to London for printing, so that its news was at least a week late when it appeared. It was sometimes later. For in one dry season the editor was reduced to printing the Bible as a serial and had reached the tenth chapter of Exodus before any news more recent than the Pentateuch had reached the office.

BARELY SAVED

Interesting Record of One of the Confederate Soldiers.

He Was Once Condemned to Be Shot at Nashville as a Spy.

Pewee Valley, Feb. 23.—Among the recent arrivals at the Confederate home is Henry W. Beach, of Lexington, Ky. He was a member of the famous "Quirks Scouts" of Morgan's cavalry. He was one of the youngest of Morgan's men. He was under sentence of death at Nashville, Tenn., by order of a courtmartial convened by General Rosecrans March 1863.

Beach, together with Jim Hix, Ed Loney and Curtis Burke, under Capt. Frank Brady, was sent as a safety guard for two ladies to be conducted through the lines. Brady, for some unexplained reason, allowed these four men to be taken without papers or authority for protection.

Gen. Rosecrans looked with suspicion upon the way they unfortunately fell in to his hands. He regarded them as spies and ordered a courtmartial, resulting in the death sentence. When Gen. John H. Morgan was apprised of the facts through Gen. Bragg, he threatened the same punishment for officers he had captured at Hartsville, Tenn. When the facts were made known to Gen. Rosecrans he ordered their delivery through the lines, after a confinement in irons at the Nashville penitentiary for nearly five months. Beach is in poor health.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

St. Joseph, Mo., Feb. 23.—Last bulletin gave forecasts of disturbance to cross continent February 23 to 27, warm wave 22 to 26, cool wave 22 to 28.

Next disturbance will reach Pacific coast about February 28, cross west of Rockies by close of March 1, great central valleys 2 to 5, eastern states 6.

This will be a cold storm accompanied by snows in northern latitudes and the weather will be stormy on nearly all the continent.

The storm center will probably move eastward south of parallel 40 after having crossed into the Missouri valley from the Pacific slope.

Warm wave will cross west of Rockies about February 28, great central valleys March 2, eastern states 3. Cool wave will cross west of Rockies about March 3, great central valleys 5, eastern states 7.

This warm wave will not bring high temperatures and will not remain long. The cool wave will go to low temperatures and make it appear that winter will linger in the lap of spring.

About date of this bulletin temperatures will be moderate, a cool wave coming in, cloudy weather and the warmest part of the month will have passed.

Temperature of the week ending March 2 will average, and rainfall will be above normal.

The Clyde is due tonight or tomorrow from Tennessee river. She will depart Wednesday night at 6 o'clock.

Deadly

Grasp of Grip Prostrated Me.

Dr. Miles' Nervine Built Up My

Shattered Nerves and Gave Me an Appetite.

Of the millions of people, who today suffer from nervous or heart weakness, a large percentage trace the cause directly to deadly LaGrippe. It is a germ disease, and makes a direct attack upon the nerves, putting an extra strain upon them at the time their vitality is at the lowest ebb. If LaGrippe has left you with a shattered nervous system, with loss of appetite, lack of energy, insomnia, frequent headaches and morbid tendencies, you should strengthen the weakened nerves with Dr. Miles' Nervine. It will undo all that grip has done, bring back appetite, rest and restore the nerves to their normal activity.

"I want to write this testimonial for the benefit of those who have suffered from that dreaded disease—LaGrippe. I suffered several weeks with it, and nothing I tried seemed to benefit me in any way, shape or form (I suffered almost death) and finally my daughter recommended Dr. Miles' Nervine to me and I can truthfully say from the first day I felt better than in weeks. It gave me relief, built up my shattered nerves and gave me a splendid appetite. I cannot speak too highly of it and want to say, each and every one who has suffered from LaGrippe will find instant relief by getting a bottle of Dr. Miles' Nervine. Just on having it and take no other. It is simply splendid. Hoping this will benefit some poor sufferer I remain, —MRS. GEORGE B. HALL, Jackson, Tenn.

All druggists sell and guarantee first bottle Dr. Miles' Remedies. Send for free book on Nervous and Heart Diseases. Address Dr. Miles Medical Co., Elkhart, Ind.

Rudy, Phillips & Co.

A Good Bye Sale of Carpets....

We are going to bid good bye this week to every carried-over pattern of Carpet, Matting, Linoleum and Lace Curtains in our stock. It will be impossible for them to tarry with us with the price we have put on them known to economical buyers, hence we say good bye.

There are lots of people who need carpets and curtains and they are going to be here, so if you want the choice come early.

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| \$1.15 Moquette and Axminster, good bye price | 95c |
| \$1.10 Velvet and Brussels | 90c |
| .85 Tapestry and Velvet | 75c |
| .75 Tapestry Brussels | 65c |
| .65 Ingrain | 57½c |
| .50 Ingrain | 40c |
| .40 Ingrain | 30c |
| 25 Granite Ingrain | 20c |

Made, Layed and Lined

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| 35c Best China Matting good bye price | 29c |
| 30c Cotton Chain Matting | 24c |
| 25c Cotton Chain and Chinas | 19c |

Remnants at Half Price

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| 65c Linoleum good bye price | 48c |
| 50c " " " " | 38c |

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| \$10.00 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | \$8.50 |
| 7.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | 6.00 |
| 5.00 Lace curtains, good bye prices | 3.75 |
| 4.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | 3.25 |
| 3.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | 2.50 |
| 2.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | 1.75 |
| 1.50 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | 1.00 |
| .85 Lace Curtains, good bye prices | .75 |

Odd Pairs at Half Price

\$2.50 Curtain Stretchers, adjustable pin \$1.75

A Good Bye Sale of Rugs.

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| \$1.00 Rugs, good bye sale price | .65 |
| 1.50 Rugs, good bye sale price | \$1.00 |
| 3.50 Rugs, good bye sale price | 2.50 |
| 5.00 Rugs, good bye sale price | 3.50 |

A Good Bye Sale of Shoes.....

As our usual custom to clean out odds and ends in heavy weight shoes, to make room for spring purchases, we inaugurate this week a cut price sale that will be interesting.

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| \$2.50 buys Ralston health box calf | were \$4.00 |
| \$3.00 buys Ralston health enamel calf, | were \$4.00 |
| \$3.00 buys box calf Viscelized soles, | were \$4.00 |
| \$3.50 buys high cut bootie, regular value | \$5.00 |
| \$4.00 buys the celebrated Cushion Ventilated sole, the heavy weights cheap at | \$5.00 |
| \$2.50 buys velour calf and kid, value | \$3.00 |

BOYS AND YOUTHS' DEPARTMENT.

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| \$1.25 buys boys' heavy satin calf, seamless vamp, sizes broken, | were \$1.50 |
| \$1.50 buys boys' high cut, 3 to 5½- cheap at | \$2.00 |

WOMEN'S DEPARTMENT

10 per cent discount on any shoe in this department in the extension or heavy soles that sell at \$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00. None of above sent on approval or charged except at regular price

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DAILY THOUGHT.

"Not what we attain but at what we aim, determines our worth."

FUR TO FLY.

We print elsewhere extracts from Colonel Mott Ayers' observations on the Democracy and candidacy of Hon. John K. Hendrick. Colonel Ayers is the Democratic state committeeman in this district, and his opposition to the candidate from his own district is very significant. Colonel Ayers leads us to think that Mr. Hendrick's opponents are going to make it pretty lively for him. Here is the way he forecasts what is coming:

"We had no desire to expose you in these matters, but as you saw fit, in your blind rage, to attack us in your speech, we are compelled to show you up, and from now on until the primary we intend to let the people know what sort of a Democrat this man is who is attacking the state committee, venomously assailing Governor Beckham, who is courteously ignoring you, and charging that the primary is a 'machine' affair. We furthermore intend to show conclusively that your real reason for opposition to the state primary is because you know the people are not for you and that in the primary you will be overwhelmingly defeated in your own congressional district."

In regard to the report that the country papers are copying from the Mayfield Messenger about a delegation of Paducahans going to Chicago or anywhere else to make a kick to Illinois Central officials in regard to the cut-off we desire to state that there is not a word of truth in it. No one has been sent or has gone from Paducah to Chicago to make any such protest. The rural press seems to gloat over Paducah's "predicament," but in the long run they will probably realize that we were giving them a straight tip when we said that the cut-off is not built every time there is a survey.

With the Mayfield Messenger trying to build the Gilbertsville-Mayfield cut off and the Metropolis paper trying to abolish the transfer boat system between Paducah and Brookport, the Illinois Central might as well shut up shop and turn its business over to our contemporaries, who seem determined to make the changes whether the company wants them or not.

It is hoped that the Paducah soldier boys will get to go to the world's fair dedication April 30. Eight companies are to go from Kentucky, and as we are nearer the Future Great than any of the others, and have one of the best drilled companies in the state, no company is better equipped to make the trip.

Metropolis seems to have a hard time with her officials. Four have died in office within a comparatively short time, two city marshals who were killed while in the discharge of their duty, City Clerk Burden, and more recently, City Attorney Ben O. Jones.

Our metropolitan contemporary in blowing about its foreign advertisers, neglects to mention the Chinese "want local" that it got worked on sometime ago.

Congress will soon be over, and the country will get a much needed rest from the various fakes that are sent out from Washington every day.

Miss Sylvia Calisi is better today, her many friends will be pleased to learn.

KENTUCKY LANDS

WILL BE DEVELOPED BY KANSAS CAPITALISTS.

Chanute, Kan., Feb. 23.—R. O. Rawlings, the shoe salesman, returned to Chanute this week and while here formed a company of prominent local capitalists to develop a body of land in Kentucky, over 100,000 acres of iron ore, coal, asphaltum and oil. The new organization will be known as the Southern Coal, Iron and Development company and is ultimately to be backed by the United States steel corporation. Mr. Rawlings and an uncle, formerly a Kansas City man, spent a year acquiring the mineral leases and options on this immense body of land. It is said great quantities of iron ore and coal are to be found on the surface of the ground and the oil comes up from the ground in springs. It is a very superior, sweet smelling grade of oil.

BOWEN DECLINED

HE SAID HE WOULD PAY OVER AT THE PROPER TIME.

Washington, Feb. 23.—The German government, through its representative here, Baron Speck von Sternberg, has made a request of Mr. Bowen for the immediate payment of the £5,500, which it was stipulated in the protocol signed on February 13 should be paid within thirty days from that date as a preliminary to the raising of the blockade against Venezuelan ports and the agreement to send the question of preferential treatment of the blockading nations to The Hague for determination. Mr. Bowen promptly declined to accede to the request, but informed Baron Sternberg that, as provided in the protocol, the money would be paid to the German representative at Caracas thirty days from February 13, which would be on March 15.

LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

Commencing February 15, and daily until April 30, 1903, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell one-way second class colonists' tickets from Paducah to San Francisco, Los Angeles, San Diego and other points in California taking same rate, and also to Prescott and Phoenix, Arizona, and intermediate points, for \$31.40. Tourist sleeping cars on which these tickets will be honored pass through Paducah on train No. 103 at 3:43 a. m. every Wednesday and Saturday, running through to Los Angeles and San Francisco. Stop-overs allowed in California. For further information apply to J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

PROMINENT MARKSMAN

MAYOR OF KEITHSBURG, ILL., COMING TO THE BIG TOURNAMENT.

Mr. Tom A. Marshall, mayor of Keithsburg, Ill., and a prominent politician and celebrated crack shot, has written the Paducah Gun club that he will sure be here to attend the big tournament in April. It will be his first visit to the boys here and they expect to show him a good time. He is only one of the many who have signified their intention of coming to the shoot.

MARDI GRAS, NEW ORLEANS.

On account of Mardi Gras, to be held at New Orleans from February 18 to 24, the Illinois Central railroad company will, on February 17 to 23, inclusive, sell round-trip tickets from Paducah at one fare, good returning until February 28, subject to extension to a date not later than March 14 by deposit of ticket with special agent not later than 8 p. m., February 28, and upon payment of fee of 50 cents additional. Stop-overs will be granted at certain points, providing passengers reach New Orleans not later than February 28. For further information apply to J. T. DONOVAN, Agent.

PUMP HOUSE BURNS

ILLINOIS CENTRAL HAS A SLIGHT FIRE AT PRINCETON, ILL.

The I. C. pump house at Princeton, Ky., burned to the ground this morning at 6:20 o'clock and is a total loss. The boiler and pump were damaged but slightly, it is thought, and the total amount of damages is not thought to exceed \$500.

COUNTY COURT

Abe Thompson, of North Fifth street, a grocery clerk, age 19, and Hattie Heath, of Court street, near Sixteenth, age 21, have been licensed to wed. It will make the first marriage of both.

IN A WRECK

PADUCAHAN HAS A ROUGH TIME IN THE EAST.

Mr. B. Wheeler, foreman of the jacking track gang of the I. O. car repairers, returned Saturday night late from New York where he had been called by the serious illness of his mother, and narrowly escaped probable fatal injuries in a railroad wreck on the Erie road.

Mr. Wheeler had been gone some time and on his return a few days ago took the Erie road near Youngstown, Pa. A frozen switch point caused the passenger train to leave the tracks and the engine and all baggage and express cars were overturned and thrown down a steep embankment. The engineer and firemen were pinioned under the engine and scalded and burned to death before it was possible to extricate them. The passenger cars fortunately kept the track and no passengers suffered injuries. Mr. Wheeler considers it one of his narrowest escapes and has not yet entirely recovered.

GRACE HAYWARD

COMPANY TONIGHT.

Tonight Dick Ferris' Grace Hayward company, will open an engagement of one week at The Kentucky in repertoire successful plays. The bill selected for tonight is a dramatization of McOutehoun's famous novel entitled "Graustark, or Love Behind the Throne." Up-to-date specialties are introduced between the acts by clever vaudeville artists, making each night's bill a continuous performance. Popular prices, 10, 20 and 30 cents, will prevail throughout the week. Ladies free tonight if with paid 30 cent ticket purchased before 5 p. m. today.

LOW RATES WEST

AND NORTHWEST.

Commencing February 15 and continuing daily until April 30, the Illinois Central railroad company will sell one-way second class colonists' tickets from Paducah to Billings, Helena, Missoula, Ogden, Salt Lake, Spokane, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and intermediate points at extremely low rates, with stop-over privileges west of the first colonist point. For further information apply to J. T. DONOVAN, Agent, Paducah, Ky.

DRY DOCKS

Articles of Incorporation Were Filed This Morning.

Capital Stock Will Be \$5000—Names of the Stockholders.

Articles of incorporation of the Ohio Valley Docking Co. have been filed with County Clerk Charles E. Graham, with the following incorporators: Messrs. J. W. Riglesberger, Joseph McAnaney and James McCarthy, all of the city.

The purpose of the corporation is to build and operate a sectional floating dry dock system and build and repair barges, steamboats and other floating craft, and also to buy and sell material necessary to operate such a business.

The capital stock is fixed at \$5,000, divided into shares of \$50 each, and the following are the stockholders and the number of shares held by each: J. W. Riglesberger, 3; J. W. Riglesberger & Bro., 17; Joseph McAnaney, 10; R. S. Barnett, 10; James McCarthy, 10; George Shelton, 10; Robert Cummings, 5.

The affairs of the corporation shall be directed by a board of five directors, composed of Messrs. J. W. Riglesberger, Joseph McAnaney, James McCarthy, R. S. Barnett and Robert Cummings. The officers are: J. R. Riglesberger, president; R. S. Barnett, vice president; J. McAnaney, secretary; Robert Cummings, treasurer; James McCarthy, general manager.

This is the company that will be located above the Seacoast Mineral Co.'s plant, and it is expected that its docks will be built and ready for business about June 1.

FELL INTO COKE OVEN.

Connellsville, Pa., Feb. 23.—Mary Kohland, aged 11 years, met a horrible death by being burned alive in a coke oven. The little girl, in running down the hill above the oven, fell and rolled into one of the hot ovens. Men at work nearby broke into the oven and secured the body, but it was burned to a crisp.

IT THE CHURCHES

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was taken towards the state work.

Hon. James A. Tate, of Nashville, Tenn., secretary of the national committee of the Prohibition party, will speak in the lecture hall of Broadway Methodist church tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, and at the Cumberland Presbyterian church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited and no entrance fee charged. Those who have heard Tate claim that he has no sympathy as a cracker and profound respect for the American continent.

A prayer and song service was held at the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning conducted by Mr. John Cooke, the pastor, the Rev. Dr. Cave being absent from the city.

Mr. Cameron Happy of Mayfield is in the city today.

UNKNOWN DROWNED

Man Fell off the Bridge at Fulton Last Night.

Body Was Soon Recovered But Life Was Extinct When Found.

A question that is puzzling the people of Fulton is who is the man who fell off the bridge over the branch there last night about 9 o'clock and was drowned. It seems he was drinking when he fell overboard. A number of people saw the accident and rushed to the man's aid, but he drowned before they reached him. No one knew him. Some said he was a horse trader from near Union City, Tenn., whose family lives in camp near there, while others declare that it is Bob Moody, of Jackson, Tenn.

At last accounts this afternoon, however, no one had positively identified the body, and it was being held until some one does.

Hats Off

The new spring hats are here so you must lay aside your old one.

You don't doubt your needing one but may be in a quandary just what you want.

You won't be, however, after seeing our line. We're sole agents for Dunlaps, Youngs and Hawes—all satisfaction givers.

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At the Eight Stores of the Jake Biederman Grocery and Baking Co., ECONOMIC CASH GROCERS.

25 Bars Soap for 25c

Pillsburg's Minnesota spring wheat flour, per barrel, \$5; in 24-lb. bags, 65c.

Our own make lard, 2 lbs., 25c.

Mixed nuts, per lb. 15c.

Fancy lemons, per doz. 10c.

Bayle's salted peanuts, lb., 20c.

Maraschino cherries, quart bottles, 65c.

Oranges, per doz., 15c.

Hot biscuits, per dozen, 5c.

Lump starch, per lb., 4c.

Bluing, per box, 1c.

Our package macaroni, 3c.

Toothpicks, per pkg., 4c.

Toilet paper, per roll, 4c.

Salt, per bag, 3c.

Axel grease, per can, 4c.

We just received a fresh shipment of cakes, prices good as long as stock lasts—

Ginger snaps, 5c per lb.

Vanilla drops, 12c per lb.

Lemon drops, 10c per lb.

Cinnamon cakes, 8c per lb.

Animals, 8c per lb.

Sultana's 12c per lb.

Nic nacs, 8c per lb.

Ginger vanillas, 8c per lb.

Jumbos, 8c per lb.

Cocanut taffy, 10c per lb.

Cracker meal, 10c per lb.

Lemon creams, 11c lb.

Mary Ann, 10c lb.

Iced fruit drops, 12c lb.

Fig bar, 12c lb.

White Mt., 15c lb.

Fruit cookies, 10c lb.

Potatoes, per bu., 65c.

Potatoes, per peck, 18c.

Cabbage, per lb., 1c.

Kraut, per lb., 2c.

Flaccus Bros' apple butter, per lb., 4c.

Mince meat, 2 lbs., 15c.

Star tobacco, per lb., 45c.

Cup Greenville, per lb., 38c.

E. Rice Greenville, per lb., 35c.

FISH.

9-oz. mackerel, 8c each.

Hollaed herring, keg, \$1.10.

Hollaed herring, milk, doz., 30c.

Fancy smoked halibut, lb., 18c.

All kinds of fancy imported sardines.

Royal Baking Powder—10c can for 9c.

A 15c can for 13c.

A 25c can for 23c.

A 50c can for 45c.

TEA TEA TEA

A 10c package Pocohontas blended only 4c.

A 20c package Pocahontas blended only 8c.

(This concession made by the grower in order to introduce it. Try a package.)

EAGLE BRAND Condensed Milk

Per can, just think—15c.

Fancy head rice, per lb., 10c.

Baby Elite shoe dressing, regular price 10c, now 5c.

Gilt shoe polish, 10c.

A package of shoe polish, 10c.

Rice in 1-lb. packages, only 8c.

Broken Louisiana rice, per lb., only 4c.

Bulk shredded cocoanut, per lb., 20c.—others' price 40c.

Absolutely pure N. O. sugar

house molasses, only 50c per gal.

CIGARETTES

Daniel Boccia

Globa

Port

Old

DRIED FRUITS AND RAISINS

Fancy select California evaporated peaches, per lb., only 10c.

California evaporated pears, nice halves, per lb., 9c.

Pitted plums, per lb., 9c.

Fancy sun dried apples per lb., only 7c.

12-oz package clean currants, per package, 8c.

Fancy London layer raisins, per lb., 11c.

12-oz package seeded raisins, per package 8c.

16-oz seeded raisins, per pkg., 10c.

Aunt Jemima's Pan Cake Flour, per package, 9c; 3 packages 25c.

Mother's Rolled Oats, per package 9c.

Quick Cook Oats, per pkg., 9c.

Early Breakfast Rolled Oats, per pkg., 8c.

Early Breakfast Rolled Oats, per pkg., 8c.

SPECIALS in CANNED GOODS

2 1/2 lb California asparagus 15c

3 lb std tomatoes, per doz. \$1

3 lb can tomatoes, per can, 9c

2 lb can std tomatoes, per doz, 87 1/2c

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3 1/2 lb can Mammy pumpkin only 30c

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LOCAL LINES.

FOR DR. PENDLEY ring 416
Grand mask ball at Palmer house tonight, Woodmen of the World.

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

WHITTEMORE—Real estate free price list, 510 Broadway, phone 258.

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

SEE the new \$10 phonographs at R. D. Clements & Co.

BLANK deeds may be had at The Sun office when you need any.

Woodmen of the World big charity mask ball at the Palmer house tonight.

HEATERS WORKING BETTER—The heaters at the High school building have been repaired and were in good working order this morning.

MAKING BETTER TIME—Yesterday nearly all I. C. trains were running on time and the ill effects of the weather last week have about been dispelled.

The grandest affair of the year, Woodmen of the World mask ball tonight at Palmer house.

PANTS FOR THE POOR—B. Welle & Sons have contributed to the poor of the city fifty pairs of pants, which are being judiciously distributed in the city.

A RED AUTOMOBILE—Mr. W. H. Rieke and son, Mr. Frank Rieke, have returned from Chicago, where Mr. Rieke, Sr., purchased a fine red automobile, which will be delivered about April 1.

PETITION IN BANKRUPTCY—William Perry Furell of Golden Pond, Trigg county, Ky., this morning filed a petition in bankruptcy with U. S. Court Clerk Puryear, giving liabilities to the amount of \$851, and no assets.

The Woodmen of the World mask ball tonight will be a reproduction of Mardi Gras ball. Be sure to come. Only 25c.

FINE YOUNG HOGS—Mr. T. F. Anderson, a prominent farmer of the Lamont section of the county, today brought to the city six seven months old hogs which averaged in weight 240 pounds each. It was as fine a lot as could be produced in this section.

FOOT BADLY HURT—Charles Majors, colored, an employee of the I. C. shops, dropped a heavy iron bar on his left foot this morning accidentally and mashed the member badly, besides breaking a toe. He was taken to the I. C. hospital and the injury dressed.

LOST HIS POCKETBOOK—City Jailor Tom Evitts yesterday lost his pocket book containing five \$10 bills and valuable papers. He will pay liberally for the return of same. The pocket book was one given by Frank Waggoner, and bore the name of the latter on the side with his address, 110 North Second street.

STREET CAR BROKE DOWN—A Paducah City Railway Co. car, No. 80, one of the big Broadway vestibule cars, broke a cross beam this morning about 10:30 o'clock at Fourth and Broadway and the propelling machinery of the car dropped to the ground. The car could run no further and was pulled to the sheds for repairs.

WATER STOPS FURNACE—Water has backed up into the I. C. depot furnace and it was impossible to keep a fire going this morning, and the depot was consequently cold. This is the one great trouble that the railroad company has to contend with every season during the high water stage.

CAUSED BY OLD GRUDGE—A serious cutting affray at Central City is reported, in which J. S. O. Dovey of that place and John Love of Greenville had a difficulty and both were severely cut. The former formerly lived in Paducah, and has relatives here. The trouble seems to have resulted from an old grudge.

THE MARINE WAYS DEAL—Nothing definite has yet been heard from Capt. Ed Howard and the promoter, Mr. W. W. Hazzard, in regard to the marine ways deal. They were first to take charge January 1, but put it off from time to time until the last date was some time between February 15 and 20, but they have not yet been heard from.

RETURNS TO PADUCAH—Mr. Charles Melvin Spaulding, who has been studying under Dr. J. B. Young

at Golconda, Ill., for the past eighteen months, has returned to Paducah, according to a Golconda correspondent, to start in the drug business for himself. Previous to his departure from Golconda, where he has many friends, he was tendered a delightful farewell party.

ARMY RECRUITING STATION—Lieutenant R. C. Bard, who two summers ago was in charge of an army recruiting station here, passed through the city last night en route to Murray, Ky., where he will open a recruiting station. This is Lieutenant Bard's first visit to the city since he was here two summers ago with the other officers, and he thinks probably that another station might be opened here soon.

PREACHED ELOQUENT SERMON—The colored Baptist Young People's Union held an important meeting Sunday afternoon at the Washington street church. The feature of the service was a most eloquent and feeling sermon by Rev. G. W. Perryman, white, of the First Baptist church, on "A Good Soldier." Short talks were made by E. W. Benton, C. W. Merriweather and H. B. Davis. These services are conducted by J. J. W. Williams.

FIREMEN MET.

CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL BROTHERHOOD WAS HERE.

J. A. Parrel, of Waterloo, Iowa, called a meeting of the local brotherhood of locomotive firemen yesterday morning for the purpose of discussing differences that had existed here. Parrel is the chairman of the national Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and came here to talk over the matters of importance to the local brotherhood. The result of the meeting is not given out as it is private with the members. There was a large attendance present.

CONDITION CRITICAL.

MR. JAMES E. ROBERTSON IS NOT EXPECTED TO RECOVER.

Mr. James E. Robertson, the former druggist, and one of Paducah's best known citizens, is in a precarious condition, and is not expected to recover. Mr. Robertson has been in bad health for the past several months, but it was thought was on the road to recovery. He seems now to have uraemic poisoning, and little hope is held out for his recovery.

LOST IN THE DARK.

Tallahassee, Fla., Feb. 28.—Three white children, aged 4 and 2 years and 6 weeks and a negro man named Austin, were drowned late last night in the Flatwoods, south of Tallahassee. Jefferson Johnson and his wife, parents of the children, were saved. The family were in a wagon, and in the darkness the team lost the road and got into deep water.

AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

WHAT POSTUM DID THERE.

A well known figure at the national capital is that of an attorney-at-law and solicitor of patents, who has been practicing before the courts and the department of the interior at Washington for more than 25 years. The experience of this gentleman with coffee is unusually interesting for it proves that although the ill results from coffee are slow they are sure. He says: "I have consumed coffee at my meals for many years, but of late years have been annoyed by deranged stomach and sleeplessness, pains in my head, nervousness and confusion of the mind. About 18 months ago I quit coffee and commenced to use Postum Food Coffee and have experienced the most pleasing and beneficial results therefrom."

"It has aided my digestion, increased my appetite for healthy food, appeased my stomach, invigorated my brain, cleared and quieted nerves and mind, and enabled me to sleep soundly eight hours out of the 24. It has imparted buoyancy and cheerfulness to my daily life and caused me to look on the bright side of things in general. It has fitted me to do more brain work than ever before, and I would consider it a calamity to be deprived of its use."

"I look on Postum as an absolute cure for the ill that coffee causes. It not only cures the ravages of coffee but stimulates to vigor and healthy action the brain and all the organs of the human body. It has with me and with many of my friends and this is my authority for the statement." Name furnished by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

Social Notes and About People.

U. D. C. EUCHE THIS EVENING.

The Paducah Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will give a benefit card party at the Kentucky club room on Broadway this evening. The entertainment promises to be quite a success, and a number of handsome prizes are on display in the bowling alley window beneath the club quarters. The object of the entertainment is to raise the money to christen a room in the Kentucky Confederate home at Pewee Valley, and a charge of 25 cents admission will be made.

The committee having the entertainment in charge is composed of: Mrs. John P. Campbell, Mrs. Luke Russell, Mrs. Will Gilbert, Mrs. J. M. Worten, Mrs. Gardner Gilbert, Miss Elizabeth Sinnott, Miss Emma Reed and Miss Ada Thompson.

MARRIAGE HERE TOMORROW.

Mr. Heiser J. Bookhammer, of Atlanta, Ga., a barber who made Paducah his home several years ago, and Miss Lena Nagel, the daughter of Mr. Henry Nagel, the well known butcher, of 524 North Fourth street, will tomorrow morning be united in wedlock by the Rev. B. F. Wulfman, of the German Evangelical church.

The ceremony will be performed at the residence of the bride tomorrow morning at 11:30 o'clock and will be a quiet wedding, only a few friends and the family being present. Miss Nagel is a popular young lady of the city and has many friends. They will leave in the afternoon for Atlanta to reside.

CHARITY CLUBS' TEA.

The Charity club will give a colonial tea tomorrow afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock at the home of Miss Laura Sanders at Ninth and Monroe streets. Colonial costumes and powdered hair will emphasize the picturesqueness of the occasion. Ten cents admission will be charged, and everyone is cordially invited.

After 6 and during the evening the young people are expected, especially the young men who can not well get off during the afternoon.

TO MARRY IN THE FALL.

Saturday's Louisville papers announce the engagement of Mr. Alexander Rosenfeld, of Atlanta, Ga., to Miss Rosalind Frankel, of Hopkinsville, Ky. The announcement was made from Pensacola, Fla. The young man is a prominent resident of Atlanta, and is a brother of Mrs. Fred Heilbron, of Paducah. The wedding will take place in the fall.

Attorney W. A. Berry went to Benton this morning on business.

Miss Lula Johnson leaves tomorrow morning for Albuquerque, N. M., to spend several months.

Mr. Alonzo Babb of Marion, Ky., is the guest of his brother, Mr. O. G. Babb of Jackson street.

Mrs. Belle James returned to her home in Marion today at noon after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. L. O. Perry.

Mr. C. F. Row, chief clerk to Master Mechanic Barton, is back after a short visit to relatives in Centralia, Ill.

Miss Juliet Merritt, of Baltimore, Md., returned home at noon today after a visit to the family of Mr. J. M. Worten.

Miss Mamie Bridges of Carrsville returned home this morning after a visit to Miss Rubie Gleason of Mechanicsburg.

Rev. L. B. Duncan has returned from Metropolis, Ill., where he yesterday attended the funeral of the late Attorney B. O. Jones.

Firemen Charles Kittinger and J. Spinner are here today undergoing examination in machinery preparatory to being promoted to engineers.

Mr. Albert Foster returned this morning from Abilene, Kan., accompanied by his wife and a little daughter, who have been there on a visit.

Mr. R. Wynn Tully and wife have gone to Chicago on a short business visit. Mr. Tully last Saturday shipped a car load of nineteen horses to that city to sell.

Frank Slaughter, who lost a foot in an accident on the N. O. & St. L. a short time ago, and has been at Jackson, Tenn., has returned to Paducah and is rapidly recovering.

Mr. H. C. Helsley of Hopkinsville, vice president of the R. T. Martin Greenville Tobacco Manufacturing Co., was in the city last week in the interest of his company, and did a good business. Mr. Helsley has a number of friends in Paducah, who are always pleased to see him.

WRONG MAN

William Joseph Comes Back From Evansville.

Robert Shatzer Arrested for the Theft of Which Joseph Was Acquitted.

Robert Shatzer, a shantyboater, was arrested this morning by Officer Thad Torrell on the charge of grand larceny alleged to have been committed in Evansville several weeks ago.

William Joseph, who was arrested several days ago and taken to Evansville on suspicion of being the thief, has returned, having cleared himself of the charge, and a subsequent investigation indicated that Shatzer is the guilty person. A telegram was sent to Evansville this morning announcing the arrest but no answer has been received. Shatzer is charged with having stolen 1,000 feet of rope and sold the same at Henderson. The officers here offer abundance of proof that Shatzer is the right man. He will be held until action is taken by the Evansville authorities.

ONCE LIVED HERE

Miss Nellie Smith Killed Herself in Arkansas.

Letters Received Here Today State She Was Insane.

Definite news as to the death of Miss Nellie Smith, formerly of Paducah, at Forrest City, Ark., on the 20th was received here yesterday.

Miss Smith committed suicide in a fit of insanity by shooting herself soon after she had been discharged from an asylum. She was the daughter of Mr. G. B. Smith, a stove man who resided here at Seventh and Harrison streets a few years ago. Her mother was in Michigan for her health and Miss Smith herself had been ill for some time. It was generally supposed that she suicided on account of a love affair but this was a mistake.

DRY SUNDAY.

NO SALOONS IN NASHVILLE WERE OPEN YESTERDAY.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 28.—Nashville was as dry as the desert of Sahara yesterday for the first time in years. Every saloon in the city, so far as known, was locked and barred, and in many of them not even the cigar stands were open. The saloons closed, it is said, per agreement, and in order to save themselves from the passage of the no-saloon bill now pending in the legislature.

WITH THE SICK.

Mrs. Chas. Herndon, who has been ill, is improving.

Fireman James Bevers is ill of chills and fever and off duty.

Mr. T. M. Baughan, master car builder here, is better this morning. He has been seriously ill for more than a week.

Foreman Danvers of the night watch at the I. C. round house has returned to work after a several days' lay-off on account of the illness of his wife.

Miss Anne Bradshaw, who has been ill in Cincinnati, where she is studying music, is much better, her many friends will be pleased to learn.

Mrs. Georgia Lyle of Fifth and Clark streets is in a very precarious condition, her many friends will regret to learn, and is not expected to live.

TWO ACCIDENTS.

Mrs. A. B. Watts is suffering from a dislocated hip sustained by falling from vertigo at the home of her grandson, Mr. Richard Ashbrook, on North Fourth.

Thomas, the little son of Attorney Jesse B. Moss, was painfully hurt late Saturday by Wyndham Allen, a relative, while playing with an air gun. It was accidentally discharged and the shot struck the little fellow over the eye and inflicted a painful but not dangerous injury. Dr. Robertson attended him.

PRESCRIPTIONS

Carefully Compounded at Soule's Drug Store

TIPS

Solves the problem. Anything you need or do not need, "Tips" will secure or dispose of for you.

The price for advertisements in this column is 5c a line. Cash must accompany the order for all ads. There will be no variance from this rule for anyone.

WANTED—Good white girl to do general housework. Apply 321 South Fifth street.

PLUMBING—Ring 956-red for A. F. Greif, 319 Court, for plumbing at reasonable prices.

WANTED—A good white girl to attend to children. Frank Levin, Tenth and Burnett.

WANTED—Three lady operators and one night messenger boy. Apply to East Tennessee Telephone Co.

FOR RENT—The building formerly occupied by Stutz's candy factory. Possession given March 1. F. M. Fisher.

WANTED—Five reliable men for the stage, one good advance man, also three ladies. Call or address W. R. Stanley, business manager, New Richmond House, Paducah, Ky.

WANTED—20 solicitors for adjacent counties. New patent floating coffee percolators, for any pot. Best on earth. Saves 50 per cent. Millions sold. It will pay. West Percolator Co., Paducah, Ky.

ESTRAY NOTICE.

Fifth District Magistrate's Court, Mo. Cracker County, Kentucky.

This day came Sarah L. Culp and made the necessary oath that the following described cattle had been taken up by her within the last ten days and that she has not altered, changed nor defaced the marks nor brands of the animals, described as follows: One muley brown and white spotted cow, about 7 years old, with star in her face and marked with an under slope in each ear and valued at \$20; and a heifer about 2 years old, blue speckled and white face and marked with a crop and slit in each ear and an under bit in the right ear and valued at \$15; and the same is hereby posted this January 28, 1908.

A. N. SEARS, J. P. M. O.

HOUSE CLEANING
LOSES ONE OF ITS TERRORS
WHERE THE BOOKS ARE KEPT IN A
Globe-Warwick "ELASTIC" BOOKCASE
can be moved one unit at a time without disturbing contents.
IT GROWS WITH YOUR LIBRARY
FITTED WITH PERFECTION ROLLER-BEARING DUST-PROOF DOORS
CALL AND SEE THEM OR WRITE FOR CATALOGUE.
Paducah Furniture Mfg. Co.
Salesrooms 114-116 S. 3d St.

FORMER SHOWMAN DEAD.

New York, Feb. 28.—George F. Bailey, one of the great showmen of a generation ago, and known as "P. T. Barnum's silent partner," died in his apartments in the Ramon, 340 West Fifty-seventh street, at the age of 84. Mr. Bailey had been actively engaged in the show business for 40 years when he retired in 1880. He was the predecessor of James T. Bailey, the present owner of the "Greatest Show on Earth," as the partner of P. T. Barnum, and, although James T. Bailey became associated with Mr. Barnum by buying the stock which George F. Bailey sold to Mr. Barnum, the two men were in no way related.

The Kentucky

Management of JAMES E. ENGLISH

One Solid Week

Commencing

TO-NIGHT.

DICK FERRIS presents the **Grace Hayward Big Company**

In the Repertoire of Successful Plays Up-to-Date Specialties.

MONDAY NIGHT
Miss Hayward's Dramatization of

"Graustark"

A Romantic Comedy Drama in Five Acts

10c, 20c, 30c

Ladies Free Monday night if accompanied by paid 30c ticket purchased before 5:00 o'clock p. m. Monday.

SEATS ARE NOW ON SALE

Dr. Perkins
The Great

Clairvoyant and Seer

Will remain 30 days in Paducah, beginning Friday, Feb. 20, Ending March 21.

Private Parlor

New Richmond Hotel

Office Hours 9 a. m. to 9 p. m.

Dr. Perkins may be consulted daily on all affairs of life. His work is entirely different from other mediums and self-styled clairvoyants. No darkened rooms or cabinet, but everything done in the broad, open light of sober sense (and you in possession of yours). He positively refuses to accept a fee in advance for readings or special work until he is through, and not then if you are not perfectly satisfied. Dr. Perkins has thousands of written testimonials from leading citizens of the United States. If you doubt his ability call and he will give you positive evidence in your own case.

It Is Not What He Has Done For Others, But What He Will Do For You.

He is a living connection between the unseen existence and this world. He can read the innermost thoughts of souls, see the past, present and future as in a mirror, and by his mysterious power can tell how to avert evil, how to succeed in business and obtain good fortune.

Concerning Business Affairs.

He gives dates, facts and figures, reliable and important advice and information on all matters of interest in business transactions, law suits, contested wills, life insurance, damage suits, divorces, deeds mortgages, claims, collections, speculations, adventures, gold mining, stocks and all financial difficulties. Truly predicts the success or failure of new inventions, patents, pending pension claims, etc.; tells whether you will receive fair dealings with partners. If you care to know what business you should follow to be successful, where you shall go and whom avoid; if you intend to make any change, or to start a business, buy or sell property, or, in fact, take any important step, don't fail to consult Dr. Perkins. His advice may be the means of saving you thousands of dollars and a great deal of trouble.

Love or Courtship.

If affairs of the heart or emotions of love interest you, he gives exact and truthful revelations of all love affairs, settles lovers' quarrels, enables you to win the esteem and affection of any one you desire, causes speedy and happy marriages, tells if the one you love is true, also date of marriage; restores lost affection, peace and confidence to lovers and discordant families; gives you the full secret how to control, fascinate and charm the one you love, also those you meet, and how to make a person at a distance think of you.

Colored people who mean business can consult the Doctor at his parlors in the hotel. Open Sundays.

Detzel's

BY GEORGE!

...Merchants' Lunch...

10 a. m. to 2 p. m.

WITH ANY 15 CENT DRINK

Lunch prepared by the highest salaried cook in

KENTUCKY

Please remember always that our first consideration is for our prescription department.

DU BOIS, KOLB & CO.

We have everything that is to be had in the drug or drug Sundry lines.

DU BOIS, KOLB & CO.

DO NOT DOSE THE STOMACH

CURE CATARRH BY NATURE'S OWN METHOD — EVERY BREATH OF HYOMEI BRINGS RELIEF.

Nearly every one who has catarrh knows how foolish it is to try and cure it by dosing the stomach. Temporary relief may be given, but a cure seldom comes.

Until recently your physician would have said that the only way to cure catarrh would be to have a change of climate; but now with Hyomei you can carry a health giving climate in your vest pocket and by breathing it a few minutes four times a day soon cure yourself.

The complete outfit of Hyomei costs but one dollar and consists of an inhaler that can be carried in the vest pocket, a medicine dropper, and a bottle of Hyomei. The inhaler lasts a lifetime, and there is enough Hyomei for more than month's treatment of catarrh. If one bottle does not cure, an extra bottle of Hyomei can be obtained for 50 cents. It is the most economical of all remedies advertised for the cure of catarrh, and is the only one that follows nature in her method of treating diseases of the respiratory organs.

The leading druggists of this city have sold hundreds of Hyomei outfits and the more they sell, the more convinced they are that they are perfectly safe in guaranteeing to refund the money if Hyomei does not cure.

Those who are subject to catarrh or catarrhal colds will do themselves an injustice if they do not purchase a Hyomei outfit at once, so as to be prepared for the sudden changes of the season.

DIXON SPRINGS

MR. L. W. ROBERTSON PURCHASES THE INTEREST OF MR. JOHN SEGEN-FELTER.

Mr. Lloyd Robertson has purchased from Mr. John Segenfelder the latter's interest in Dixon Springs, Ill., one of the best known summer resorts in this section. It is understood about \$5,000 was paid for it, and Mr. Robertson will assist in making it one of the most popular places in Southern Illinois. Mr. Pete Burnett, it is understood, is associated with Mr. Robertson in the deal, which has been on for several days.

TO CONSOLIDATE.

VETERANS OF THE SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR TO UNITE.

Washington, Feb. 23.—At the meeting of the joint committee of the Spanish War Veterans and the Spanish-American War Veterans a resolution was adopted providing that the two organizations shall consolidate.

Another resolution authorized committees to select name, select constitution, by-laws, etc., for the amalgamated association. These committees were immediately appointed. They will report later on.

POSTAL LAWS

A CHANGE IS DESIRED BY AUSTRIA IN ISSUING ORDERS.

Vienna, Feb. 23.—The Polish leader, Dacosynski, has complained in the Reichsrath of the action of the United States postoffice authorities in not issuing money orders in Austrian currency. He said this was a serious matter. Many thousand Polish laborers in the United States who were unable to understand the postoffice regulations were compelled to apply to bankers for drafts at great expense.

GOES TO ST. LOUIS

MRS. ELLIS DUNCAN AND HER MOTHER TO MOVE THERE.

It is announced in Louisville that Mrs. Ellis Duncan and her mother, Mrs. Barbour, will shortly move to St. Louis to live. The notoriety of the shooting of Bruce Head by Dr. Duncan at Pittsburg is more than they care to face in Louisville, and they will go elsewhere to live.

WASHINGTON'S BIRTHDAY.

BANKS AND POSTOFFICE CLOSED TODAY IN PADUCAH.

Washington's birthday is today being quietly celebrated and in Paducah the banks are closed and the postoffice was open as on other national holidays. Business has gone on about the same as at other times, however.

Subscribe for The Sun.

FIREMAN'S ESCAPE

Lost His Balance and Fell Out of the Engine.

Had a Narrow Escape From Being Ground to Death.

Fireman E. J. Hunt, of Twelfth and Broadway, fell from a freight engine last night at 11 o'clock five miles east of Paducah while the engine was running about 20 miles an hour and narrowly escaped instant death under the wheels of the big machine.

Hunt had been shaking the grate bars when his shaker slipped and threw him against the side of the tank. He tried to catch himself and in doing so lost his equilibrium and fell from the engine to the ground below. Fortunately the ground sloped slightly and Hunt rolled away from the tracks and thus escaped being ground to death beneath the wheels.

The engine was stopped immediately after the accident was discovered and the unfortunate fireman picked up and brought to the city where he was placed in the I. O. hospital.

A medical examination showed that one shoulder and his back are badly sprained and his side badly bruised. There are no serious cuts and abrasions and Hunt's escape is considered miraculous. His many friends will regret to learn of the accident but will be pleased to hear of his escape from serious injury. This morning he was resting easy but will not be able to get out of bed for several days.

CITY OF CLIFTON FIRE

Few of the Crew Saved Even Their Clothing in it.

One of the Pilots Has Arrived From Savannah, Tenn.

Mr. Charles Street, one of the pilots on the City of Clifton, has returned from Savannah, Tenn., where the City of Clifton was burned Friday. He reports that none of the crew or officers saved anything, having escaped in their night clothes. The fire seems to have burst out in a remarkably short time as the watchman had passed that way only a moment before, and although two streams were playing on it soon after its discovery, the wind was blowing the flames directly back into the boat, and the steamer was entirely consumed, together with over 100,000 feet of lumber. The insurance was about \$20,000. It has not been decided whether another boat will be built to take her place or not.

GUATEMALA'S NEW PRESIDENT

Washington, Feb. 23.—Minister Combs of Guatemala has cabled the state department that Senor Arias was elected president of Guatemala by congress on the 18th inst.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine

Carter's Little Liver Pills.

Must Bear Signature of

Wm. Wood

See Fac-Simile Wrapper Below.

Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS.

FOR HEADACHE. FOR DIZZINESS. FOR BILIOUSNESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION.

Price 25 Cents. Purely Vegetable. *Wm. Wood*

CURE SICK HEADACHE.

CHEAP HOMES IN TEXAS AND ARKANSAS

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How Philanthropy Has Grown. It is gratifying, in the midst of all these accusations of moral turpitude hurled at the age, to reflect that philanthropic evolution has, perhaps, kept pace with the world's material evolution. Commercialism may be relentless in its exactions of flesh and blood, but the modern spirit of humanity is not all unworthy of the Christianity of the ages.

UNKNOWN KILLED

Tramp Run Over by Cars Near the Old Dispatchers Office.

Nothing Found on Him By Which He Could Be Identified.

Nothing has been found by which the tramp killed in the Illinois Central yards near the dispatchers' office about 6 o'clock Saturday afternoon could be identified. Coroner Peal yesterday morning held an inquest, and made a close examination of the man's pockets. He found about \$4.50 in money, some bread and meat, cigar stumps and scraps of paper, but nothing that would furnish the slightest clue to the unfortunate man's identity.

The victim was probably on a coal car when a freight train was being made up, and lost his balance. His head was cut almost off and his body horribly mangled by the wheels. The finding of his cap and blood clots on the coal car, led the train men to find the body, which was inside the track. No one saw him when he fell and was run over.

The man was doubtless a typical tramp. He weighed about 180, was rather short, and had a full face with a stubby moustache. His clothes indicated that he was a working man. The body will be buried in the potters' field.

DID GOOD WORK

TEST OF THE BLOODHOUNDS MADE YESTERDAY AND LAST NIGHT.

City Jailor Tom Evitts and other officers yesterday afternoon made a test of the three bloodhounds recently purchased, and another last night, and the trials were considered quite satisfactory.

In the afternoon the dogs trailed a colored trusty below the Terrell farm into a barn and last night were sent out to follow another beyond Eden's hill. As the animals have lately been confined rather closely for some time, it is expected that in time they will do much better work.

JUDGEMENT SUSPENDED

JUDGE SANDERS RELEASED DEE BYARD THIS MORNING.

Dee Byard, who was given thirty days on the streets last week for vagrancy, was this morning released from the lockup, Judge Sanders suspending judgment on condition that the prisoner go to work. Considerable pressure was brought to bear to secure the young man's release and he is now free again.

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| South Bound | 121 | 101 |
|------------------|---------|---------|
| Lv. Cincinnati | 7:00pm | 8:40am |
| Lv. Louisville | 7:20am | 9:40pm |
| Lv. Owensboro | 8:00am | 10:40pm |
| Lv. H. Branch | 10:50am | 12:20pm |
| Lv. Central City | 12:30am | 1:00pm |
| Lv. Nortonville | 1:30pm | 1:40pm |
| Lv. Evansville | 2:30pm | 4:00pm |
| Lv. Hopkinsville | 11:30am | 4:30pm |
| Lv. Princeton | 2:24pm | 2:28am |
| Ar. Paducah | 3:45pm | 3:37am |
| Ar. Paducah | 3:50pm | 3:42am |
| Ar. Fulton | 5:20pm | 4:50am |
| Ar. Cairo | 10:10pm | 10:15pm |
| Ar. Paducah | 10:15pm | 8:48pm |
| Ar. Rives | 5:50am | 8:57pm |
| Ar. Jackson | 7:10am | 7:10am |
| Ar. Memphis | 8:30am | 11:50pm |
| Ar. N. Orleans | 7:40pm | 11:55am |

| Lv. Hopkinsville | 5:00am |
|------------------|--------|
| Lv. Princeton | 6:10am |
| Ar. Paducah | 7:50am |

| North Bound | 122 | 102 |
|------------------|---------|---------|
| Lv. N. Orleans | 7:00pm | 8:40am |
| Lv. Memphis | 7:20am | 9:40pm |
| Lv. Jackson | 8:00am | 10:40pm |
| Lv. Rives | 10:50am | 12:20pm |
| Lv. Paducah | 12:30am | 1:00pm |
| Lv. Paducah | 1:30pm | 1:40pm |
| Lv. Cairo | 2:30pm | 4:00pm |
| Lv. Fulton | 11:30am | 4:30pm |
| Ar. Paducah | 7:40am | 11:50am |
| Ar. Paducah | 7:50am | 11:55am |
| Ar. Princeton | 9:25am | 12:40pm |
| Ar. Evansville | 10:10am | 10:15pm |
| Ar. Nortonville | 10:30am | 1:00pm |
| Ar. Central City | 11:30am | 1:40pm |
| Ar. H. Branch | 1:30pm | 2:10pm |
| Ar. Owensboro | 2:30pm | 3:00pm |
| Ar. Louisville | 3:30pm | 8:10am |
| Ar. Cincinnati | 4:50pm | 7:40am |

| Lv. Paducah | 8:20pm |
|------------------|--------|
| Ar. Princeton | 8:20pm |
| Ar. Hopkinsville | 8:30pm |

ST. LOUIS DIVISION.

| South Bound | 305 | 275 |
|------------------|---------|---------|
| Lv. St. Louis | 7:00am | 10:30pm |
| Ar. E. St. Louis | 7:30am | 10:45pm |
| Ar. Chicago | 8:00am | 11:15pm |
| Ar. Carbondale | 11:00am | 2:30am |
| Ar. Cairo | 12:30pm | 4:00pm |
| Ar. Paducah | 3:00pm | 7:45am |

| North Bound | 306 | 276 |
|------------------|---------|---------|
| Lv. Paducah | 12:15pm | 6:15pm |
| Ar. Cairo | 2:40pm | 10:15pm |
| Ar. Carbondale | 4:00pm | 12:30am |
| Ar. Chicago | 7:00am | 10:35am |
| Ar. E. St. Louis | 7:40pm | 6:25am |
| Ar. St. Louis | 7:50pm | 6:35am |

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| Lv. Paducah | 7:25am | 2:15pm |
|----------------------|---------|--------|
| Union Depot | 7:30am | 2:20pm |
| Paris | 9:25am | 4:30pm |
| Hollow Rock Junction | 10:30am | 5:37pm |
| Jackson | 12:25pm | 7:35pm |
| Ar. Memphis | 3:45pm | |
| Nashville | 1:25pm | 9:30pm |
| Chattanooga | 9:30pm | |
| Atlanta | 9:30pm | 7:30am |

NORTH BOUND.

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|---|-------------|
| Ar. St. Louis | 7:24pm 6:52 |
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Luella did not say a word to Archie, but stared straight out of the window. When the house was reached, she said mechanically. "Will you come in?" "Thank you, I will be glad to," Archie replied with alacrity.

When they were in the drawing room, he gathered up courage to say, "Miss Marsh, will you give me a few minutes to make a few remarks?" He did not mean to say that at all. For the first time in his life he was as near being in love as it was possible for him to be, and in so far as the experience was new to him he was emboldened by it. Between the two unusual events in his life he presented a curious combination of bashfulness and effrontery. He had chosen the time for telling Luella of his feelings with singular misfortune to himself. He supposed she was smarting from a quarrel of some kind with Gordon. His shallow reason led him to believe that her feelings would be soothed by the devotion of another suitor, and so he blindly went on, gaining confidence as Luella sat perfectly still, her hands in her lap, apparently listening to him.

"Miss Marsh—Luella—it is no secret to you, I am sure, that I have long adored you," he was nearer the truth than was usual for him—"but my devotion will surely count in my favor. Will you—will you entertain the thought of me as a—suitor? Will you permit me, Luella, to have some hope of some time winning your affections? I love you truly." He spoke in a sincere manner, for he felt what he said. "Don't say no to me. Think it over. Give me some hope, Luella!"

He was astonished to see her slowly rise and without even looking at him, without so much as a gesture of any kind, walk out of the room, leaving him sitting there on the edge of his chair, with his hands clasped in an appealing manner.

He sat back in the chair and waited. At the end of five minutes of blank silence he rose and went out into the hall.

"Please tell Miss Marsh I will call again," he said, with a ghastly smile, to the footman who was lounging there.

He went out and walked as fast as he was ever known to go to his aunt's. She was in the library and received him good naturedly.

"Well, young man, what did you think?" She stopped as she saw the expression on his face.

"You promised not to get in my way with Miss Marsh! But all your talk in the carriage was arranged to set her against me. I see it! You roused her jealousy by talking about Miss Andrews and all that!"

"What are you saying? You are absolutely unintelligible. Say what you mean!" Mrs. Penrose exclaimed with disdain.

"I am saying what I mean!" Archie traveled up and down the library in a rage, but it was the rage of a disappointed child rather than the anger of a grownup man.

"Oh! I see. You have been talking to Luella. Young man, you couldn't have picked out a more inappropriate occasion. Why, couldn't you see, man, that she was feeling terribly over something that happened between her and Gordon while they were in the library?"

"And you aggravated it by all you said afterward," Archie wailed. Mrs. Penrose smiled sweetly.

"So you actually proposed this afternoon, Archie. Tell me about it. What did she say? How did she receive your remarks?"

"She didn't say anything. She insulted me by leaving the room."

"But it was kind of her to leave you the room, Archie. You must have felt the need of something pretty bad."

"You're a fool," said Archie, and he sat down sulkily in a deep chair and looked defiantly at his aunt.

Mrs. Penrose got up and pointed to the door.

"Young man, you either apologize at once for that remark or you leave this house and you do not come back into it!"

Archie gathered himself up quickly and stammered: "I—I, forgive me. Aunt Constance! I did not mean that!"

"Of course not. You got your pronouns mixed. What you meant to use was the first personal. With that understanding I accept your apology."

Archie sank back into the chair and Mrs. Penrose at once recovered her equanimity.

"Tell me what you said, Archie. So she never gave you any answer at all. Do you think it is a case of silence gives consent?"

"Hardly," Archie groaned. "I asked her to hear me, to take time to think it over. I did not press the matter. I simply wanted her to consider me as a possible suitor."

"Maybe that's what she left you so suddenly for."

"Why?" asked Archie suspiciously. "Maybe she wanted time to think it over."

"Oh, I'm a—"

"That's right—a fool, Archie! Didn't I warn you? You never had any chance. Luella is deeply in love now with John Gordon."

"Why doesn't she marry him, then?" Archie asked with directness. "I don't know," Mrs. Penrose replied thoughtfully.

"I would go anywhere with Luella," Archie groaned.

"Even into Hope House?"

"Yes, I would, even there."

"Then you must be very much in love. Poor Archie!" Mrs. Penrose spoke with a touch of compassion. "It's no use."

"But I tell you, aunt, I mean to marry Luella Marsh. I don't give up just for one rebuff."

"No? She's never really given you an answer yet, Archie. Make her say no, at least."

"She will say yes at last," said Archie doggedly. His aunt looked at him half contemptuously, half wondering.

"Not so long as you are Archie Penrose," she said finally.

"You'll see," Archie said as he rose and went away. Mrs. Penrose thoughtfully sat and mused until dinner was announced.

"I have known stranger events to be," she muttered to herself. "But Luella Marsh is a million times too good for him. Why does she not marry John Gordon if she loves him? She will miss heaven, here and hereafter, if she doesn't."

John Gordon and Miss Andrews had turned back into the library after the visitors had gone.

"That Mrs. Penrose is quite a remarkable woman, Mr. Gordon. Did I understand that she was a relative of yours?"

"No; she was an intimate friend of my mother. She has always taken a good deal of interest in me. It would not be surprising if she came to our assistance. She has abundant means and leisure; lives in a palace of a house on Park avenue; is a widow with no nearer relatives than that Archie Penrose. Her mention of Julius Chambers was encouraging. Oh, if Mrs. Penrose would only use her influence it might move something!" Gordon uttered a groan. "But these society women have no hearts except when they feel remorse. That's her trouble. She may be enthusiastic over a fad like Hope House, as she calls it, but it won't last. Her old social ambitions are too strong to be broken or changed into new ones."

"Judge Chambers is a new factor," Miss Andrews spoke softly. "I wonder what he will prove to be. That first act of his when he was seated was encouraging. How would it do to bring a case against Tommy Randall in his court?"

"Just the thing! I don't believe Tommy owns him. We have got to do something and do it hard. If Tommy Randall puts up those double deckers, contrary to the city ordinances, have we got to confess that there is no such thing as justice in a city like this, in a country like ours, after twenty centuries of the Christ of God? Oh, Miss Andrews, it cannot be possible that our appeal to the people themselves, in case all other means fail, will also fail! Do you have ultimate hope in the people?"

She turned her blue eyes toward him, and they were glistening with tears. Whatever her feeling was toward him, she was one of those great souls who can carry in their hearts a love for one being and the multitude as well. All true love with her must have been of the highest exaltation.

"I believe in the people at last. If all else fails, we will appeal to them. These wrongs cannot go on forever. I cannot believe that God will permit it. Child life must be too precious in his sight."

"And yet think of all these years, of all you have done and suffered, of the thousands of innocent lives that have been smothered and buried alive in these places of horror. Do you lose your faith; do you?"

"No, my friend!" she answered, smiling. "God is not dead. When I lose faith, I shall die. Meanwhile—"

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The coal tows are beginning to move on the Upper Ohio. Several large tows of coal go south when the river falls several feet.

The shore landings along the river are in bad condition for shipping and making landings on account of the recent fall of snow. A few days of sunshine will improve them considerably.

The Queen City of Louisville went from Paducah to Memphis in 17 and one-half hours—300 miles.

The John S. Hopkins left this morning at 10 o'clock for Evansville. She is now running in the place of the Joe Fowler and the Fowler has taken her place. The boats were thrown out of schedule time by the gale last week.

The Dick Fowler cleared for Cairo this morning on time.

The Avalon is due Thursday from Chattanooga.

No river report was received today on account of Washington's birthday.

The Victor got out to Tennessee river yesterday.

The Summers has gone into Cumberland river.

The Kenton arrived last night from New Orleans where she took a tow of coal several months ago. She had been out for many weeks and had a memorable trip.

The Sunshine is due tomorrow from Memphis.

The Lizzie Archbold, the Illinois Central Brookport tugboat, is here today doing harbor work.

The Jim Duffey, Jr., went into Cumberland river today after ties.

The Russell Lord arrived from Tennessee river this morning with a tow of 75,000 ties, the largest tow ever brought out of that river by any one boat. The Ayer & Lord company is breaking all records for large tows and is bringing out ties in greater quantities than was ever before brought out of either the Cumberland or Tennessee rivers.

Mr. L. P. Holland, chief inspector for the Ayer & Lord Tie company, has gone to Smithland on business.

The Inverness is indefinitely laid up. The Thomas Parker left this morning for Cumberland river after ties.

The Mary Stewart arrived this morning from Mississippi river where she had been chartered out for several weeks. She will probably go into the Cumberland river trade again or might run between Paducah and Golconda as a packet. It is also probable that she will be converted into a towboat, although nothing definite has been settled relative to what will be done with her.

The Mary Michael is due up tomorrow from the Mississippi river with a tow of logs for the Ferguson and Palmer mills.

The Woolfolk is due out of the Tennessee river with lumber about Thursday.

IN POLICE COURT.

ONLY A FEW CASES THIS MORNING BEFORE JUDGE SANDERS.

Elmer McKerson, R. A. Winn and Henry Turner were fined \$20 and costs each for gaming.

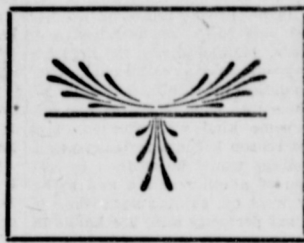
The case against Ed Martin, mate on the Buttorff, for striking a negro some time ago, was dismissed.

Turner Bros. were fined \$10 and costs for violation of the Sabbath and a disorderly conduct warrant was dismissed.

Tip Smith was fined \$1 and costs for a plain drunk.

CIRCUIT COURT.

The case of the Chicago, St. Louis and New Orleans railroad against Potter was still on trial at press time in circuit court. There has been little progress made in other court matters and this case will probably consume the remainder of the day.



FRANCHISE CASES.

AUDITOR'S AGENT LUCAS RETURNS FROM FRANKFORT.

Attorney Frank Lucas has returned from Frankfort, where he had gone to argue the franchise tax case brought by him as revenue agent against the I. O. road to force a franchise tax from the company as the lessee of the Chicago, St. Louis & New Orleans railroad. The argument was made Saturday, but the attorney given until the 10th of March in which to prepare briefs.

Arguments were also made by attorneys in the case against the city of Cincinnati as the lessee of the Cincinnati Southern railway. The I. O. road contends that this would be double taxation, but Lucas makes the point that the company owns two separate and distinct franchises.

COAL COMES.

MUCH IS BLOCKED IN THE I. O. YARDS.

The I. O. shop yards were this morning blocked for quite a time with cars of all description. There were many dozen cars of coal all jammed up as closely as they could be switched together. The dealers have received since yesterday about twelve cars of coal and the company is making desperate efforts to get the coal here. The new yards are full of cars also and there are many dozens of cars loaded with coal waiting for shipment south. The road has not sufficient motive power to handle the cars out.

PROMINENT MINER COMING.

It is reported that J. D. Wood, of Central City, at one time president of the miners' union, will arrive in the city this afternoon late to plan for the coming miners' convention which will be held here within a few weeks. He will arrive probably on the 7:05 train.

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